

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 08702.0071-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Kim et al.)
Application No.: 09/687,281) Group Art Unit: 1654
Filed: October 13, 2000) Examiner: Jennifer I. Harle
For: INJECTABLE CARRIER) Confirmation No.: 9127
FORMULATIONS OF)
HYALURONIC ACID)
DERIVATIVES FOR DELIVERY)
OF OSTEOGENIC PROTEINS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of May 9, 2006. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	71	-	78	0	x \$ 50	\$ 0
Indep.	5	-	14	0	x \$200	0
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)				+\$360		360
				Subtotal	\$	360
				Reduction by ½ if small entity	-	0
					TOTAL	\$ 360

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916. 11

Dated: August 8, 2006

By: Elizabeth Mathiesen
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